

In re Application of:

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AMENDMENTS

A. IN THE CLAIMS:

✓ Please cancel claims 4 and 9-65, without prejudice.

Please enter the following rewritten claim:

DI 1. A purified polypeptide characterized as having *Renilla* luciferase activity and a recognition site specifically cleavable by a protease, wherein cleavage results in a decrease in luciferase activity and wherein the recognition site is at residues 197-200 of SEQ ID NO: 2.